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This report concerns a search for previously unreported SA-3 SAM sites in four specific peripheral areas in the USSR. Areas having a 50 nm radius, centered on the following locations, were searched using all available KH photography.

- a. Belushya Guba (71-32N 52-20E)
- b. Burevestnik (44-55N 147-37E)
- c. Olga (43-44N 137-17E)
- d. Okha (53-35N 143-57E)

25X1D These locations and the approximate extent of the search areas involved are shown in Figure 1. A search of the land area within a 50 nm radius of Belushya Guba, USSR (71-32N 52-20E) on clear, good quality photography dated [REDACTED] revealed no previously unreported SA-3 sites. On all subsequent KH photography of this area, poor weather conditions precluded a detailed search of all but the immediate area around Belushya Guba, and this search too, was negative.

A complete search of the land area within a 50 nm radius of Burevestnik, USSR (44-55N 147-37E) was not possible due to lack of photography. Available photo coverage limited the search to the immediate area around Burevestnik (see Figure 4). No SA-3 sites were identified within the area indicated.

25X1D A search of the coastal area within a 50 nm radius of Olga, USSR (43-44N 137-17E), utilizing photography from various KH missions, up to and including [REDACTED] revealed no additional SA-3 sites. All photography of this area was generally of good quality, although snow cover and minor, scattered clouds were present on some of the photography.

25X1D A search within a 50 nm radius of Okha, USSR (53-35N 143-57E) revealed one possible SA-3 site, located 6.2 nm southeast of Okha at 53-29-50N 143-02-50E (Figure 2). This site was identified on [REDACTED] (Figure 3). Subsequent photography of this installation has not permitted verification or additional interpretation due to continuous snow cover and poor weather conditions.

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During the course of this search, four previously unreported SAM facilities were identified as follows:

- a. One SA-2 site located 12.3 nm south of Okha at 53-22-40N 142-58-40E.
- b. One probable SA-2 site located 6.8 nm west of Okha at 53-34-00N 142-45-40E.
- c. One SA-2 site located 7.1 nm north-northwest of Okha at 53-41-30N 142-53-00E.
- d. One Type II SAM Support Facility located 7.0 nm west of Okha at 53-34-00N 142-45-20E.

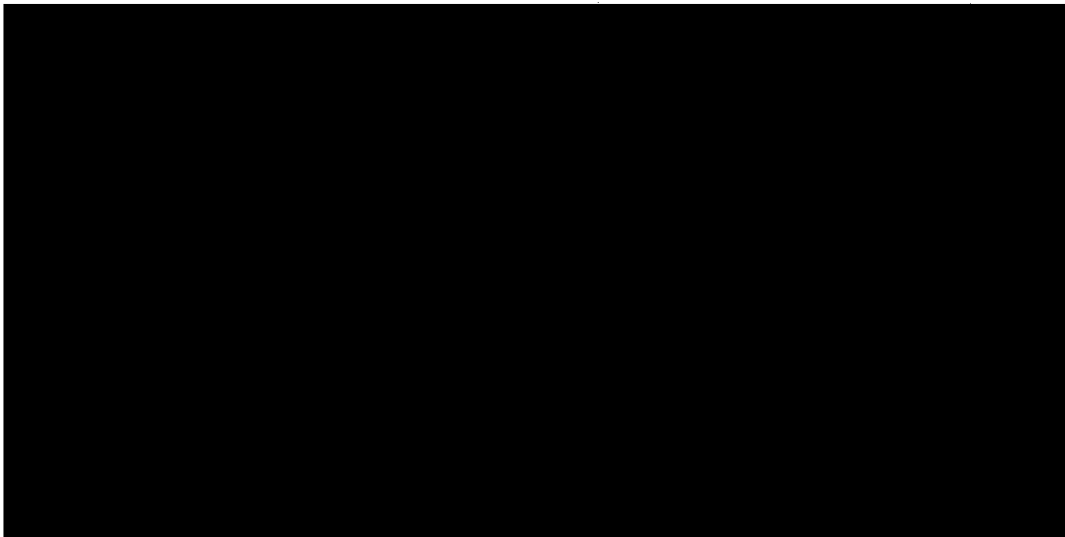
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All five of these SAM installations near Okha were reported in NPIC Cable [REDACTED] CIA-P-067 dated 6 July 1965.

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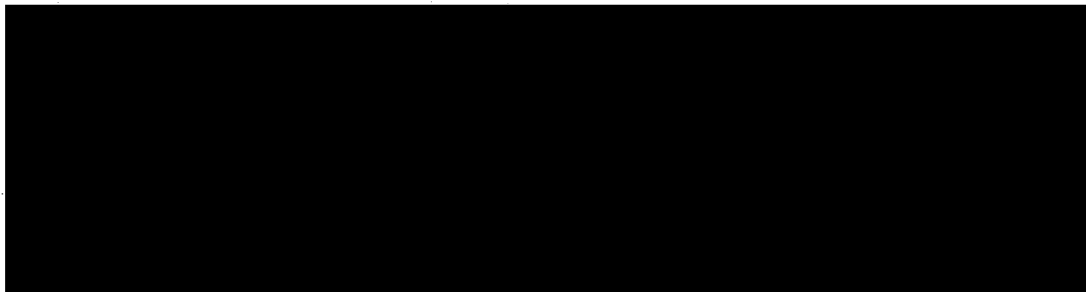
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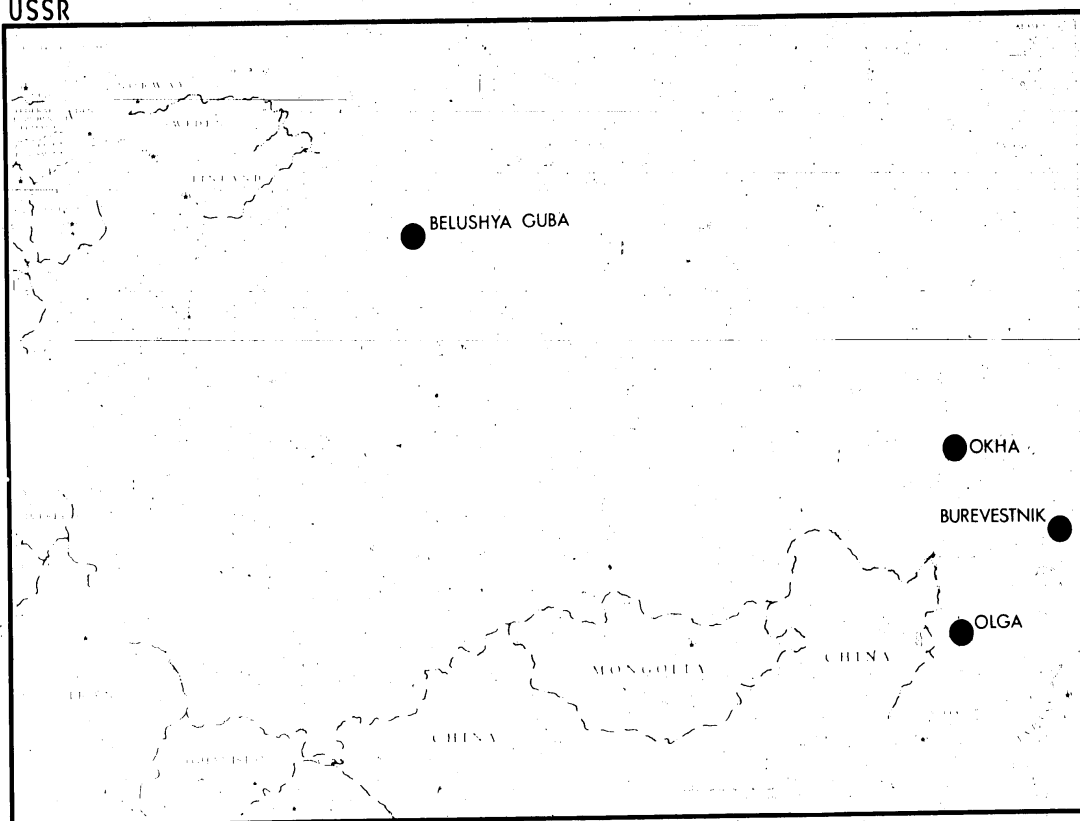
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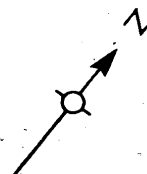
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